GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA

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ESTABLISHMENT OF EDUCATIONAL GRID
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received project proposals from various State governments to establish Educational Grid across the institutions in their States as a part of the Vidya Vahini and Gyan Vahini Networks;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the action by the Government thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(DR. SANJAY PASWAN)

(a),(b) and (c): There is no proposal for Establishment of Educational Grid under `Vidya Vahini` or `Gyan Vahini` Networks. Indian Institute of Information Technology and Management, Kerala are planning an educational grid network in Kerala funded by the State Government. They have requested Department of Information Technology to associate Education and Research Networking (ERNET) with the Education Grid Project of Kerala and ERNET is associated with the Project.